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:

Anca Zamfir, et al.

Confirmation No.: 1563

Serial No.: 10/718,784

Group Art Unit: 2141

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For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RESTARTING RSVP PROCESSES IN

MULTIPLE NETWORK DEVICES

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

Additional fee is required.

Also attached: Figures

Applicant claims small entity status per 37 CFR 1.27(c)(1).

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		Multiple claims newly presented			\$ 290.00
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## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Before examination of this application, please amend the application as follows:

- Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.
- Remarks begin on page 22.

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